

BUILDING REQUIRED FOR PATENT OFFICE

Collection of Models Outgrows Present Quarters.

SITE EAST OF THE CAPITOL

Officials Fear That Supreme Court Will Secure Location, But Hope Against Hope.

The bill recently introduced in the Senate to provide an appropriation for the erection of a new Patent Office to the east of the Capitol is still attracting a great deal of attention among officials of the Interior Department and those who take an active interest in the improvement of Washington. The idea of a separate building for the office is new, but it has not been vigorously advocated and nothing definite has ever been done.

While the bill has been introduced asking for the site east of the Capitol, only slight hopes are entertained that it will be obtained. There is a general impression that it will be occupied at some future day by a handsome building for the Supreme Court, and that the Patent Office will have to go elsewhere.

Need Well Known.

That the Patent Office needs a separate building and needs it badly is well known, but the officials hope new quarters will not be provided until Congress is ready to appropriate enough money to make the office one of the show places of the city. John W. Babson, chief of the issue and gazette division, said yesterday:

"That site east of the Capitol would suit us exactly, and I sincerely hope we will get it. But the chances are slim, for the Supreme Court has had its eye on that place for a long time. Still, we may win from the Supreme Court, and in that event Congress will have an opportunity to provide Washington with another great attraction."

Building Overcrowded.

"We are so overcrowded in the Interior Department building that the work cannot be done properly, and much less can we have a proper exhibit of models. My idea would be to have on the site a handsome building of large size, and in keeping with the appearance of the Library of Congress. It might be built in the form of a square or rectangle, with the offices arranged around a large central hall."

"In this hall could be kept the models. Visitors could go from the Library to the Patent Office in a few minutes and

see one of the most interesting and unique collections in the country. The collection, properly arranged and labeled, would be redoubled in value as an object point for sight-seers, and would become much more of an attraction than it is now."

No Room for Models.

Inventors are not now required to furnish models of their ideas when applying for patents, for the reason that there is danger of the collection rapidly outgrowing the size of any hall in which it might be placed.

That the clerical force needs larger quarters is evident to all who have any dealings with the office. No more room can be provided without putting part of the employees in another building or taking up some of the rooms now occupied by the executive offices of the Interior Department, in which case those displaced would have to find accommodations on the outside.

TEXTILE WORKERS FIGHT THE POLICE

BERLIN, Dec. 5.—The city of Crimtschau, Saxony, has been declared in a state of siege as the result of riots which have occurred there, caused by striking of the employees in another building or taking up some of the rooms now occupied by the executive offices of the Interior Department, in which case those displaced would have to find accommodations on the outside.

PHYSICIAN ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF THEFT

BALTIMORE, Dec. 5.—The police have arrested Dr. David C. Bliss, alias John B. King, in connection with the robbery of bank messenger Stewart Hill in the postoffice yesterday. The satchel, which was stolen, was found in a hallway at 218 North Holliday Street. The registered letters were missing, but there were checks for \$3,000 in the bag.

MITCHELL TO DEPART.

DENVER, Dec. 5.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America arrived here from Trinidad last night. He said that his present intention is to leave here for Chicago tonight, intimating that he will not wait for a conference with Governor Peabody. He refused to discuss the strike situation.

FIVE YEARS FOR BARRETT.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 5.—Thomas E. Barrett, the former court official recently convicted of complicity in the naturalization frauds, was sentenced in the Federal court today to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$1,000.

MORE COMPLICATIONS IN M'KAY LITIGATION

Attorney McCammon Sues for Commission on Money Collected From the Government.

The litigation in connection with the settlement of the estate of the late Col. Nathaniel McKay, pending in the District Court, promises the development of interesting complications before a final decree is reached. Since proceedings were instituted about a year ago the subject-matter has received a great deal of attention in both the Probate and Equity branches of the District Supreme Court. Yesterday, however, it took another turn, and proceedings were begun in the law division of the court.

The latest move was made by Joseph K. McCammon, attorney, who sued to recover 5 per cent of \$28,277.81 for legal services alleged to have been rendered Col. McKay.

Mr. McCammon says he collected the amount named for Colonel McKay from the Government. The money, he says, was paid to Colonel McKay for the construction of certain light draught monitors. Mr. McCammon says he contracted with Colonel McKay to perform all necessary service in the prosecution of the claim against the Government, and was to receive 5 per cent of the amount recovered. James H. Hayden is named as counsel for the plaintiff.

SPAIN TO SEND SHIP TO LOUISIANA FESTIVAL

Senor de Ojeda, the Spanish minister, has been informed by his government that Spain will send a warship to New Orleans, to be present at the celebration of the centennial of the Louisiana Purchase. An elaborate festival is being planned in honor of the event in New Orleans, and the Spanish government will probably send one of her finest vessels.

The ceremonies attending the celebration will be held in the Cadillac, the new place in which the transfer of the land from Spain to this Government was effected.

President Roosevelt was invited to attend by a committee from New Orleans, but it is probable he will not be able to go.

POLICE GUARD A GROOM.

DUBLIN, Ga., Dec. 5.—While four policemen held Russell and Peter Twitty, sons of the late Rev. P. S. Twitty, who was a prominent Methodist minister, and thus preventing them from using pistols which they had drawn, their sister, Helen Twitty, was married to Edward Keene, a local railroad officer.

GREATER COMFORTS FOR PEOPLE SEEKING WORK

Municipal Lodging House Improvements Completed For Honest Men Unable to Get a Permanent Job.

Within the past two months extensive alterations and improvements have been made at the Municipal Lodging House, 312 Twelfth Street northwest, and now, after an expenditure of an even \$1,000, Superintendent A. H. Tyson considers it a model institution for the temporary care and shelter of homeless and friendless men who come to Washington looking for work, and have not sufficient money to keep them until they obtain a situation.

Superintendent Tyson extends to everyone, tramps and millionaires alike, a cordial invitation to inspect the institution, either as guests or visitors. He is devoting all his energies to the work, which is to accommodate and provide for every honest and deserving man who may come to the city with true purposes and the right sort of courage and confidence.

When William M. Galt died about two years ago he bequeathed a sum of money to each charitable organization in the city. One thousand dollars was the amount allotted to the Municipal Lodging House, which was placed under municipal control in 1892, and last winter Superintendent L. B. Cutler, now deceased, was apprised of the fact that he could draw on the account and make any necessary improvements and repairs at the institution. Charles J. Bell and James E. Fitts, were named trustees of the house, and saw that the money was spent judiciously.

One would scarcely believe \$1,000 would ever accomplish as much as accomplished by Superintendent Cutler and Tyson, the latter being appointed by the District Commissioners on August 1 of the present year.

A new dormitory, large enough to accommodate twenty men, was added to the institution, three portable porcelain bathtubs, a hot water system, a new enlargement of the dining room, a new roof, a lot of painting, and wall papering and a number of other things were paid for out of the \$1,000, and the balance has just been exhausted.

Superintendent Tyson expresses the gratitude and appreciation felt by him, and also by the District Commissioners and Board of Charities, under whose directions he acts, to the Galt estate for the gift, and also to Messrs. Bell and Fitts for the interest they have shown as trustees in expending the money.

The lodging house is now as clean as a new pin. The men have good, warm beds to sleep in, a spacious, well-heated dining room, a large iron-lined fumigating room in which to hang their

QUESTION OF OPENING CINCINNATI STREET

Colonel Biddle Suggests the Owner of the Property Should Obtain Special Legislation From Congress.

The District Commissioners recently received a communication from W. B. Page, of Langdon, D. C., asking the status of a former request that an obstruction be removed from Twenty-second and Cincinnati Streets. Mr. Page also asks that Cincinnati Street be opened from Twenty-second to Twenty-fourth Streets.

In an endorsement on the papers, Colonel Biddle says:

"The only fund available for the purchase of this land is the appropriation of \$1,000 for the condemnation or purchase of streets, roads, and alleys, and there is not a sufficient balance on hand to purchase all the land necessary to open the street for its full width. Moreover, the price asked by the owner is thought by the Engineer's Office to be excessive for land at that point."

"An effort was made to purchase this triangle which would permit the opening of the roadway to its full width, but not to extend to the building lines. It was thought the owner of the land had agreed to this proposition, but he now says the amount which he would receive for this small triangle would not warrant his going to the expense of removing a building and erecting a new fence, and, therefore, the office is unable to do anything at present."

"The only remedy would be to get Congress to authorize the purchase of the land for opening the street for its full width, and in accordance with the custom of the Commissioners, this action should originate with the parties interested in having the street opened."

RUSSIAN NAVAL OFFICER RUNS AMUCK IN THEATER

BERLIN, Dec. 5.—The "Tagblatt" reports that a Russian naval officer ran amuck in Panafels Theater at St. Petersburg last evening and emptied eight six-chambered revolvers into the audience. One woman was killed and several others wounded. The officer kept a score of police at bay, but was ultimately overpowered after a desperate struggle. Many persons were injured in the panic which ensued after the shooting began.

OIL STRIKE IN TEXAS.

MATAGORDA, Tex., Dec. 5.—There is wild excitement throughout this section over a great oil well which has been brought in at Big Hill, situated on the line of the Can Belt Railroad, which was recently acquired by the Santa Fe.

LEPER COLONY SHOWS LOSS IN POPULATION

Decrease of 37 Persons on Hawaiian Pest Island.

MANY NEW CASES FOUND

Native Hawaiians Furnish Ninety Per Cent of the Island's Lepers—Chinese and Portuguese Next.

Interesting statistics on the prevalence of leprosy in Hawaii are furnished in the annual report of ex-Governor Dole, which was recently handed to the Secretary of the Interior. The number of patients at the Kalaupapa leper settlement on June 30, 1902, was 215. On June 30, 1903, the total was 178.

Hawaiians furnish more than 90 per cent of the lepers on the island, their total number being 157, as against 31 for all other nations. Of the Hawaiian lepers, 459 are men and 338 are women. Next to the Hawaiians the Chinese are the largest contributors to the unfortunate colony, with forty men and three women, while the Portuguese are third, with twelve men and two women. There are seven American men and one American woman on the island. Three Porto Rican men and five Japanese men are also there.

There were 123 leper subjects examined in the last fiscal year, and 124 of them were found to have the disease. Those examined were 36 Hawaiians, 34 Chinese, 11 Chinese, 4 Americans, 2 Portuguese, 2 Porto Ricans, and one each of Germans, Japanese, Swedes, Scotch, and Italians.

Of the suspects examined 9 were under ten years old, 33 between ten and twenty, 21 between twenty and thirty, 19 between thirty and forty, 13 between forty and fifty, 8 between fifty and sixty, 9 between sixty and seventy, and one over seventy. There were 84 male suspects and 46 females.

A supply of fresh water is furnished the settlement through pipes. Farming operations are conducted, and milk, taro, pork, etc., are procured for the inmates. It is intended to extend the farming operations and also have the colony raise its own beef.

REWARD FOR PRALL.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Police departments in 2,000 cities in the United States and Canada have been furnished with circulars bearing the likeness of William George Prall, the Elgin National Watch Company official, whose mysterious disappearance on November 28 is taxing the efforts of a score of detectives. A reward of \$50 for information is offered.

Christmas Jewelry.

"It is surprising what pretty Jewelry you have at inexpensive prices," said a customer yesterday. And we are told the same thing every day. Brand new ideas are shown in satisfying variety—you shouldn't miss seeing the stock.

Solid Gold Stick Pins, in newest designs.....	50c	Gold-filled Beads, to be worn at top of milady's collar.....	49c
Sterling Silver Lockets.....	49c	Solid Gold Brooch Pins, with pearl settings, at.....	\$2.98
Hat Pins of gold and polo sticks, worth 50c each, for.....	12c	Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, with chip diamond settings, at.....	\$2.98
New styles in Brooch Pins, in gold-filled, jeweled, and enamel styles.....	50c	Solid Gold Chased Cuff Buttons, special.....	\$1.98
Belt Pins or Buckles, in oxidized, gray, Roman and buff.....	49c	Gold Filled Stick Pins, with pearl and rhinestone settings, at.....	\$1.98
Belt Sets of front and back buckles, in new buff finish.....	25c	Jeweled Brooch Pins, in handsome new styles.....	\$1.98
Children's Sterling Silver and Gold-filled Locket Chains.....	49c	Sterling Silver and Gold-plated Brooch Pins, set with pearls and opals, special.....	\$2.98
Children's Sterling Silver Bracelets, soldered links, with lock.....	25c		
Solid Gold Baby Pins.....	98c		

Lace Curtains Lowered.

In all there are over a thousand pairs of Lace Curtains at reduced prices. Why? Because we are rapidly approaching Christmas, and must lighten stocks at once. Will you help us by helping yourself to these big bargains?

400 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, 10 and 11 quarter yards long and full width; in a fine range of desirable patterns. \$1.25 and \$1.39 values for.....	88c	450 pieces of first quality Curtains, in exact reproductions of the costliest Irish Point and Brussels Net Curtains. Values up to \$3.00. \$1.69 for.....	\$1.69	300 pairs of real Irish Point Curtains, in ten different patterns, each one the newest and most beautiful shown. Regular \$6.50 to \$8 values. \$4.98 at.....	\$4.98
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Blankets and Comforts.

Could you think of anything that would prove more acceptable to mother or wife? We are selling more Blankets and Comforts for gift purposes this year than ever before. It's wise giving—because they are sensible and serviceable.

100 pairs of Fine Quality California Wool Blankets, 10 and 11 quarter yards long and full width; in a fine range of desirable patterns. \$1.25 and \$1.39 values for.....	98c	Double Bed Comforts, covered with fine brown, scroll stripe, quilted, of pure white cotton. Regu. \$3 values, for.....	\$1.98	11-quarter Double Bed Blankets, of heavy weight and soft fleeced. White or gray, with colored borders. Special value tomorrow, per 98c pair, at.....	98c
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3,000 Rugs Under Price.

Of course, you will want to fix up the house for the holidays. This special sale affords an excellent opportunity to buy handsome Smyrna Rugs for little money. They are the product of John Bromley & Sons, and Walter & Crouse mills—and that is sufficient guaranty of the qualities.

Size 21x42 inch Rugs.....	80c	Size 4x7 foot Rugs.....	\$3.38
Size 26x52 inch Rugs.....	\$1.39	Size 6x9 foot Rugs.....	\$7.08
Size 30x60 inch Rugs.....	\$1.69	Size 7x10 foot Rugs.....	\$10.98
Size 36x72 inch Rugs.....	\$2.39	Size 9x12 foot Rugs.....	\$18.98

Xmas Suggestions in Art Department.

If you are planning gifts of pretty art things, you should come to-morrow or some time next week and select what you want. Assortments are at their best right now.

Hints of inexpensively priced articles that are in great demand just now.		6-piece Opal Sets, for the bureau, hand-painted, special at.....	98c
Pin Cushions in the shape of fruits of various sorts, including pears, apples, peaches, etc., Choice at.....	5c	Jewels for fancy work, in all colors, special, per dozen.....	5c
Medallion Plaques, hand-painted subjects on glass, regular.....	10c	Handsome Renaissance Bureau Scarfs and Pillow Shams to match, in elaborate patterns; regular \$1.50 to \$2 values, at.....	98c
Large Medallion Plaques, in a large variety of attractive subjects, worth 25c at.....	25c	Mercerized Pillow Corals, with tassels, worth 30c for.....	25c
Fancy trimmed Pin Cushions, worth 75c; specially priced.....	59c	Pure linen Bureau Scarfs and Pillow Shams, of Mexican design, worth 80c and 75c, for.....	49c

Seventh and K. Goldenberg's Christmas Offerings. Seventh and K.

Christmas Offerings.

The store that serves your wants best all the year round is the store to supply the Christmas Gifts. It is at this particular time, when everyone wants the gift money to stretch farthest, that the full meaning of our service and low prices is best appreciated. Washington's most popular store is ready to prove its right to your patronage.

The Basement Store is Filled to Overflowing With XMAS SUGGESTIONS.

If you are at a loss to know what to give your friends, a visit to our Basement will offer a thousand and one suggestions. No matter what price you want to pay, your money will stretch farthest here. The following list merely hints of the things you'll find.

Claret Jugs, with silver-plated tops. Special.....	98c	Carlsbad China Cuspidors, solid color; spray decorations; full gold finish; 50c value. Special.....	49c	Japanese China Sugar and Cream Set; gold traced. Special.....	49c
Claret Jugs, with silver-plated tops. Special.....	98c	Carlsbad China Cracker Jars, in floral decorations.....	48c	Cut Glass Water Tumblers.....	25c
Claret Jugs, with silver-plated tops. Special.....	98c	Carlsbad China Dinner Plates, with Roman gold finish, and tiled-in decorations; 50c value. Special.....	25c	12-piece Decorated English China Toilet Set, with roll-edge basins and extra large handled jars.....	\$6.98
Claret Jugs, with silver-plated tops. Special.....	98c	Bohemian Glass Water Sets, in colors; flower decorations; gold finish; 1 jug, 6 tumblers, and silver-finished tray. Special.....	98c	Warwick China Toilet Sets, of 12 pieces, including large jar with handles; basin has roll edge; in pink, blue, and green decora.....	\$4.49
Claret Jugs, with silver-plated tops. Special.....	98c	50-piece Carlsbad China Tea Sets, with floral decorations; extra large tea pots and sugar bowls.....	\$5.49	Avon China 12-piece Decorated China Set, with raised flow.....	\$2.98
Claret Jugs, with silver-plated tops. Special.....	98c	Japanese China Chocolate Pots. Special.....	39c	Large size Terra Cotta Umbrella Jars, in new designs. Special.....	\$1.49
Claret Jugs, with silver-plated tops. Special.....	98c	Bohemian Glass, gold finish; raised decorations; a beauty.....	25c		

Linen Initial Handkerchiefs.

Six in a Box for 75c.

Lots of people will act wisely in buying these Handkerchiefs now for Christmas gifts. Both Ladies' and Men's Pure All-linen Initial Handkerchiefs, in all style letters, which are worth 19c each. Put up in half dozen lots and suitably boxed for gifts—at 75c.

Cravenette Rain Coats.

Stylish Oxford Gray Cravenette Rain Coats, with double shoulder Capes, fitted back, and pleated effect. Loose belted front, large sleeves. \$12.98 values, at..... \$10.00 |

Elegant quality Cravenette Rain Coats.

made with double capes and belted back, tight-fitting back. Choice of Oxford, olive or tan. \$18.00 value..... \$12.98 |

Smart Cravenette Rain Coats.

of the newest mannish mixtures; have triple divided capes over each sleeve. Tailored in exceptional style..... \$15.98 |

\$25 Fur Jackets, \$18.98.

Handsome Sheared Electric Seal Jackets, 21 inches long, high collar and reverses of same, with high turn back cuffs, lined with satin duchesse. All sizes, 24 to 44. Ac..... \$18.98 |

Stylish Blue Fox Pelrine; long box.

with broad, flat back, trimmed with eight handsome tails to match; actual \$13.38..... \$10.00 |

Genuine Mink Sable Long Pelrine

Scarfs, trimmed with ornaments and silk cord, and eight large fur tails; \$25 value, at..... \$18.00 |

Gift Perfumes.

High-grade Perfumes, including the well-known Colgate's, Woodworth's, Babcock's, and other leading makers' products, perfectly boxed for gift giving, at..... 25c and 50c. |

Fancy Glass Atomizers and Pumps, decorated in various handsome effects, some of the gold decorated, at..... 25c to \$1.50. |

Big Glove Values.

Children's Warm Worsted Mitts, good heavy weight—regular 12c value, at..... 12c |

Misses' Regular 25c Golf Gloves, in gray and navy blue, per pair..... 19c |

Ladies' Regular 30c and 50c All-wool Golf Gloves, made with double thickness. In black and fancy colors; all sizes, at..... 25c |

Ladies' Regular \$1.00 Kid Gloves, in black and colors; latest Foster hook..... 59c |

Men's and Ladies' Gift Slippers.

Men's Opera, Everett, and Romeo Slippers, in red, tan, and black. Hand-turned soles, at 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$2 a pair.		Children's Warm-lined Slippers and Julietts, in red and black felt leathers and felt soles, at 50c, 75c, and 98c a pair.	
Ladies' warm-lined and fur-trimmed Julietts and House Shoes, in assorted colors; high and low heels, at 75c, 98c, \$1.25, and \$1.50 a pair.		Rubber Boots for boys and girls; heavy and light soles; for Christmas gifts. What boy or girl wouldn't welcome such a present?	

Christmas Candies.

We are splendidly prepared to take orders for Christmas Candies and deliver them where and when you direct; and we guarantee the Candies will be perfectly fresh at the time of delivery.

Special prices quoted to Sunday Schools, Churches, Institution Schools, etc., for Christmas Candies.

We've a great assortment of pure and fresh Candies; and plenty of Christmas boxes to put them in.

Our regular 29-cent assortment of fine Candies, including Ice Cream Chocolate Drops, Vanilla, Orange, Lemon, Raspberry, and Chocolate flavors, for Monday, per lb, at 19c

A Wonderland of Toys.

Jolly old Kris Kringle, hard at work in his home way up in the mountains, has sent us all his best Toys to distribute among good little boys and girls. The toy stock is larger and better than ever before—greater in variety and more complete in novelties. And judging from the way people are buying toys here this year promises to make a new high-water mark for us. Come tomorrow and make your selections.

Fine Oak Rockers, with cane seat; regular \$1.50 value; for.....	\$1.25	Track and Train, "figure eight," complete and in perfect working order.....	98c
Iron Bicycle, with adjustable seat and handle bars. Special.....	\$1.69	Double Tracks and Two Trains, that may race together.....	\$2.25
Iron Wagons, with steel gearing and steel wheels; strongly made. Special value at.....	\$1.69	Dolls' Furniture of every description, at.....	\$1.49
Large Go-Carts, wicker sides, and steel wheels; with parasol. Special at.....	\$1.69	Large Croquet Boards at.....	98c
Tool Chests, containing a full assortment of useful tools, at \$2.98 25c up to.....	\$2.98	Extension Roller Skates per pair, with parasol.....	49c
Suits for boys, including firemen, Indian, letter carrier, and soldier uniforms. Special at.....	98c	Dolls' Iron Ranges, complete with cooking utensils, at.....	\$1.49
Faded Walnut Washed Writing Desks; roll top; at.....	\$1.89	Iron Toys, including Fire Patrol, Hook and Ladder, Fire Engine, Mule Track Team, Police Patrols, and many others, at.....	48c
Dolls' Pianos, 25c up to.....	\$6.98	Mechanical Toys, of various desirable sorts, at 25c.....	\$1.98
		The Daisy Air Rifle at.....	69c

Great Numbers of Dolls.

A great family of Dolls holds forth at Goldenberg's—in quantities sufficient to make thousands of little girls happy Christmas morning. And people who've made the rounds of the stores tell us that nobody sells equally as good dolls for as little as we ask. Let these lines speak for the whole stock.

Full Jointed Bisque Dolls, with shoes and stockings; larger and better than ever before. Special at.....	\$1.98	Full Jointed Bisque Dolls, dressed in handsome satins, elaborately trimmed in ribbons and laces. Hats to match. Special at.....	\$1.25
The largest and best Doll ever offered for the money is our "Ruth" Full Jointed, Kid-body Doll, with Bisque head and sleeping eyes; 23 inches high. Shoes and stockings. Our price.....	\$2.49	Full Jointed Kid-body Dolls, with composition legs; 23 inches high; cannot be equaled under \$2.25.....	\$1.75

Pictures for Gifts.

Certainly you couldn't decide upon a more acceptable gift than a picture. Following are several instances of what may be had at little cost here. Lots of folks will take the hint and be here Monday to make a selection.

Special lot of Matted Pictures, in sizes up to 17x27 inches, with 2-inch mats; same subjects cost 25c in 10c art stores. Our price.....	10c	500 Framed Pictures, in a wide range of choice subjects; circular shape, ebony-finished molding. Specially priced.....	49c
Handsome Photo Frames; gold finished, with fancy corners; one, two and three openings. Special 19c value at.....	19c	Framed Pictures, with gold-finished molding, fancy corners; subjects embracing a fine assortment; size 10x24. Exceptional value at.....	98c